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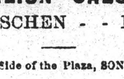

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Boston has sixteen Christian science schools, New York twelve and Chicago fourteen.

—The children in Bogota carry their own chairs to school, as well as their their own pens and ink.

—The school population of Dakota multiplied thirteen times during the period from 1875, and at the same time the number of schools multiplied twenty times.

—A society has been formed that is devoting itself exclusively to the relief of the suffering of the 135,000 lepers said to be in India and for proclaiming the Gospel to them.

—Inspire deep, genuine, quick thought so far as you can. A child that learns to think does infinitely better than one who merely takes facts and learns mechanical processes.

—Some wealthy man in this country, whose identity is not disclosed, has subscribed three hundred thousand dollars for the establishment of a Christian university at Nankin, China.

—The Austrian Minister of Public Instruction has issued a decree forbidding the use of small-printed books in public schools, as the cause of the near-sightedness so prevalent among school children.

—Five native girls from Alaska have been taken to Massachusetts to be educated. It is the intention to return them to Alaska as teachers, if they do not marry certain susceptible masculine Bostonians.

—Sandusky City (O.) school-marms believe that cleanliness is next to godliness and daily make a tour of inspection, armed with soap, water, basin and towel. Any youngster found with dirty hands or face is compelled to submit to a scrubbing before the whole school.

—It is proposed to separate Japanese Methodism from American Methodism, and thus form a National Japanese Methodist church. All the Protestant denominations of Japan are pervaded with this desire for an independent National existence. They are encouraged in this by the Government.

—The Turkish Government appears to be reviving its school laws with the aim of suppressing American and other foreign schools. The new law provides that no foreigner can open a school without a special firman given by the Sultan himself; and such documents he is slow to give. The law forbids any Ottoman subject from attending such a school until he shall have taken a course of religious instructions. The schools now existing are to be suppressed unless they conform to these regulations within six months. As a large amount of capital is invested in educational institutions in Turkey, the American Minister has protested against this law, and urges other embassies to join him.

AN IMPERIAL AUTHOR.

Napoleon Bonaparte's Manuscript History of His Native Island.

A unique manuscript has been sold at the Rue Drouot, in Paris, for fifty-five hundred francs. It is an autograph by the First Napoleon of a history of Corsica, which he wrote at Ajaccia in 1790. This MS. is in eight closely-written pages, and there is much in it which shows that the future Emperor was then a disciple of Robespierre. He speaks with the fervor of an enthusiast of the social contract in referring to the action of the Jacobins in Corsica.

He writes in an involved style and in the orthography of an uneducated person:

"The Jacobins saw that the broken fragment of a feudal system combined with laws instituted by prejudices without unity would not make a compact whole, but found only, on the contrary, an ill-combined patchwork, just good to perpetuate anarchy. They understood that palliatives were out of date, and that it was necessary to play double or quits to run all risks and to employ the strongest means. They began by preaching the grand principle of the community of goods of equality, the sovereignty of the people and of the illegality of every authority that does emanate from a popular vote. Well, in a few days they changed the whole face of things in the island.

"If they had time to strengthen their work in spite of the priests what a spectacle they would have offered to Europe in a government founded on reason at the gates of Rome! A government of men of the Rue de Provence, a free Government amid aristocracy, feudality and tyranny? How in the world would corrupt nations, stultified and brutalized under the scepters of Kings and Bishops, have been able to resist collision with healthy, robust, free men? How could it have resisted when Athens alone resisted and knocked over the combination of all Asia?"

There are in the expressions elsewhere many allusions which, if they render the text ungrammatical and often obscure, show a brain which thought too rapidly for the hand to set down the idea that crowded to the tip of the pen. The young historian in many cases made his meaning more apparent by interlineation. His obscurity and awkwardness are not caused by a want, but a congestion of ideas.

He often erases, often changes, often corrects, but his manuscript is the sincere reflex of his mind in 1790. He dwells on the degradation of the governed classes all over Europe, and insists on French armies, possessed with the genius of liberty and rejoicing at their new-born freedom, being bound to beat them and overthrow the thrones.—*Penman's Art Journal.*

DIAMOND-BACK SNAKES.

An Adventure with an Ugly Reptile Near a Florida Summer House.

I had gone out for a sail. But it was in one of those delightfully primitive "home-made" boats which abound on this river, and which sail equally well whether bow foremost or stern foremost. Equally well, I say, but their best is bad. This boat would not beat to windward at all, and I was too lazy to row.

I was waiting in the hope that an alligator or big turtle would perhaps obligingly tow me to the shore, when from the direction of the house there came a succession of sharp, ringing shots, evidently the reports of a rifle. And with these came the screams of children, the barking of a dog and other evidences of an unusual commotion. This was, remember, on the third day after our arrival in the Land of Flowers. There were no Indians about, and it did not seem possible that the house could be besieged by bears; though, failing some such explanation as the presence of large game, I could not surmise what this rifle-fusillade meant. I attempted to pole to the shore, but it soon became evident that Harry's boat was no more true to the pole than to her course in beating to windward; so, to solve the difficulty, I stepped overboard and waded ashore. The fun was all over by the time I came on the field; but there, in the path that led from house to river, lay a veritable diamond-back, dead; one bullet through his neck, his spine broken by another and his tail lacerated by a third. It turned out that while the children, with "Fannie" (a favorite Gordon setter-dog), were running down to the water, the dog—ahead, as usual—"pointed" at something in the grass, just out of the path. Hastening up, in the expectation of flushing a quail, or perhaps a rabbit, Dotty, (my daughter, aged eight) found this big diamond-back on the alert and ready for business. As an armed pirate lights its battle-lanterns, clears its decks, and beats to quarters, so this terrible cruiser of land had kindled his eyes into flame, disposed his body in a coil, and sprung his portentous rattle. Luckily our "Dot," who had visited museums in St. Augustine, well knew what all this meant, and prepared to beat a retreat, calling on "Fan" to follow. But that innocent creature, all unfamiliar with diamond-backs, had the curiosity of her sex, and invited a nearer approach to see if the thing were dangerous or not. So, as the snake was but a few feet off, and time was precious, and the story of Eve and Eden and the tempter too long to tell, "Dot" caught the dog by the tail, and dragged her up-hill and out of danger. Meanwhile, the alarm had been given at the house, and a gentleman, who happened to be at home, re-enforcing the party with a rifle, the reptile was soon dispatched. In measurement it fell short of seven feet only by one inch. And we all thought it a rather large snake to find within a hundred feet of our dwelling-house, and almost in the path that we daily traveled in going to and from the river. The Herr Doctor thought so too; but in his seventeen years on the place, he had seen but three diamond-backs, and these were miles from the house. And you may be sure that during that night, and for several nights thereafter, I held my little girl very closely in my arms before we put her to bed, and that limits were promptly set to the children's explorations of fields and groves.—*Charles Henry Webb, in St. Nicholas.*

IN PEKIN'S STREETS.

Fatima, the Camel, Has an Encounter with Some Tea-Bearers.

We turned suddenly into a narrow sort of alley, repulsive beyond description, and here Fatima drew back, sniffing prophetically. I urged her a little, and she went forward, but presently I saw that we had to meet a long line of camels, heavily laden with crates of tea, each about the size and shape of the "pressed hay" so common in America.

I could not imagine how we could pass them, and yet I feared to turn about, even had there been space enough, which was doubtful. Fatima sprang close to the wall, drawing her little hoofs and slender legs almost under her. I followed her example and leaned against the dingy adobe mass, while the long line filed their tea-crates past us, swaying their heads and long-matted manes from side to side and grazing against us as they went.

Each one eyed us with a malicious glance from their small, evil-looking eyes which suggested a longing to strike out a ferocious blow from one of those powerful, noiseless feet. But their glances were met by looks of scorn and defiance on the part of Fatima, mingled perhaps with a little fear, for she evidently knew our danger. With her body fairly flattened against the wall—and yet not pressing me harshly—she laid her small ears, which were never quiet, close back and turned her head toward the camels.

Her nostrils dilated and reddened, and her lips parted, and the fine squarely set teeth showed between, while her enormous vigilant eyes were fixed on the camels and flashed as "at your peril" look at each one as the interminable train slowly wended its uncouth way past us, leaving us both quivering together as one poor aspen leaf in the autumn wind.—*Olive Risley Seward.*

—Rev. Howard Crosby would abolish all the normal schools because so few graduates become teachers.

A PAIR OF GLOVES.

How the Average Young Woman Conducts Her Shopping Expeditions.

"Let me see some gloves, please."

"Yes'm; what kind?"

"Really, I don't just know. Let me see what you have."

"Silk or kid?"

"I hardly know; let me see both."

"Light or dark, miss?"

"Oh, neither exactly; something medium, I think."

"Here are some tan colors that—"

"Oh, I *don't* want tan colors."

"Don't want black, do you?"

"No, I don't hardly think I do."

"Something for evening wear?"

"No—that is, not exactly."

"Here are some—"

"Oh, I don't want elbow kids."

"How would six buttons do?"

"No. I want longer gloves than that."

"Here are some new shades in brown."

"Have you any silver gray?"

"Yes'm, here are some new shades—"

"Oh, those are too dark."

"And these?"

"Altogether too light. Let me see something in seal brown."

"Yes'm, we've something quite new and—"

"Oh, I want them with stitching on the back."

"Black or colored stitching?"

"Really, I don't know. Which kind are they wearing most?"

"Well, it's hard to tell; one is worn about as much as another."

"Yes, I suppose so; but I can hardly decide for I——why, *Mame* De Smythe, is this you?"

"Of course it is; who do——"

"*So* glad to see you! Do you know I've been *thinking* about you, and ——"

"It's an *age* since I saw you, and—what you buying?"

"I'm *trying* to buy some gloves, but I don't know what I want. Do help me decide."

"Well, I *will*, I'm not buying anything myself—just looking round. Isn't it lovely to shop?"

"Lovely! And *aren't* things *beautiful* this year? I'm *wild* over the ribbons!"

"Ribbons! don't mention them! I just rave over every milliner's window I pass! But about the gloves?"

After half an hour of harrowing consultation, and handling every box of gloves in that store, the glove customer says:

"Oh, let's go over to Fittem's. I *always* get what I want there. There's nothing here I want."—*Detroit Free Press.*

CROSSES AND STARS.

An Interesting Contribution to the European Craze for Decorations.

The Emperor William is generally seen wearing the iron cross and the star of the most distinguished order of the Black Eagle. Emperor Francis Joseph invariably wears the decoration of the order of the Golden Fleece, it being one of the regulations of the order that every knight belonging to it must wear it at all times, in state or private. A similar regulation compels the knights of the Russian order of St. George to wear the cross at all times, and they would incur penalty if seen without it.

The ordinary decoration, including the ribbon, is about four inches long by three inches wide. To be able to wear all their decorations, Prince Bismarck or Count Moltke, for instance, would require a breast thirty feet in breadth. A man of merit in Europe should, however, not only be of large proportions, but also of superior strength, for the average weight of one gold grand cross is about half a pound. The aforesaid dignitaries would, therefore, have to carry about forty pounds, in addition to their heavy gold embroidered uniform. Civilians are permitted to wear diminutive reductions of their orders, suspended on narrow gold chains; the stars of a Grand Officer or a Grand Cross, however, are worn in their original size.

It would be difficult to say who is the most decorated man of Europe. Each of the three Emperors and the royal sovereigns of Europe average fifty grand crosses with their respective appendages. Aside from the sovereigns and princes, I should think the most decorated man must be either Count Andrassy, the former Chancellor of Austria, or the station-master of ——, a well-known watering-place. The latter receives an average of three minor crosses annually, depending mainly on the number of sovereigns and princes visiting the place; station-masters, physicians, police commissioners and others are in many instances remunerated for their services with crosses, very much as the gate-keeper of the Castle of Chilon receives a shilling from every visiting Englishman.—*Ernest von Hesse-Wertegg, in Century.*

Not the Genuine Article.

"Mr. Bliven," said that gentleman's tailor the other day, "I trust it will soon be convenient for you to settle that little account I have with you."

"I don't know of any account I have with you," replied Billy; "Oh, I see; there is a fellow who resembles me so closely that you can't tell us apart, who has been going about pretending that he is Billy Bliven. But permit me to assure you, sir, that he is only a counterfeit bill."—*Merchant Traveler.*

—A tract of land in Gage County, Neb., has been bequeathed to the Board of Home and Foreign Missions of the United Presbyterian Church. The land will bring, it is expected, about $7,000 to the church when sold.

SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

H. H. GRANICE ---------- EDITOR

SONOMA, MARCH 17, 1888.

Communications upon matters of local or general interest solicited.

Communications designed to call attention to any matter of limited or individual interest will not be inserted unless paid for as an advertisement.

The author's real name must accompany all communications, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. This rule will not be deviated from.

CITY ELECTION.

THE Board of City Trustees at their last meeting called an election for city officers on Monday, April 9th, at which will be chosen two Trustees, to take the places of Ed. Wegner and the late A. F. Haraszthy. A City Clerk, Marshal and Treasurer will also be elected. Already a number of candidates have been mentioned for the various offices to be filled and the contest promises to be a lively one. It behooves every citizen of this city to take an interest in the coming election and see to it that honest and capable men are chosen for Trustees, Clerk, Treasurer and Marshal. It is their duty as citizens to do this, as it will ensure for this city good government and an honest administration. We want no Boss Tweedism here.

THE jury in the case of Dimmig, charged with the murder of Benhayon, after being out twenty-four hours failed to agree and were discharged by Judge Murphy last Wednesday. They stood seven for acquittal and five for conviction. In view of the testimony submitted by the prosecution the disagreement is a surprise to many. Nothing was proven against the defendant and the prosecution was so weak that the District Attorney in summing up the case omitted the time-honored custom of asking the jury to bring in a verdict of guilty, he evidently being a conscientious man and feared that Dimmig might be innocent. The Judge's charge, too, was favorable to the defendant, and had the jury been guided by the law and evidence in the case Dimmig would have been promptly acquitted. As it was, five of the twelve jurors were willing to give the jibbet a victim instead of following out the well-known principle of law of according the prisoner the benefit of the doubt.

THE greatest of all nonsense is to try to make a town grow without a newspaper. It simply won't do it. A live man should be induced to start a paper, and the people should keep it a going—make it go. A poor, lean, half-starved paper is indicative of the same kind of a town. A neat, lively paper, full of local news, full of pithy paragraphs, full of paying advertisements of local tradesmen, means business for the paper, for the people, and prosperity for the town. Hold up your newspaper and it will hold you up.—*San Jose Mercury.*

A TABULATION of the receipts of imported oranges and lemons in the United States during February gives California citrus fruit-raisers a view of the size of the business to be competed for. There were imported 29,656 cases of Valencia oranges, of which New York received 27,405. There also were imported 190,355 boxes of oranges, of which New Orleans received 34,997. The lemon importation was 212,271 boxes.

SENATOR STEWART, from the Committee on Territories, Thursday reported a bill for the admission of Washington Territory as the State of Washington. It is proposed to annex the Pan-handle of Idaho to the new State. The total population of Washington and the Panhandle of Idaho is estimated at 190,000. A minority report against admission will be made.

THIS being leap year, every married woman is entitled to sleep on the front side of the bed and to get up in the morning to build the fires. The husband who refuses to allow her to enjoy these rights is worse than a brute.—Ex.

MRS. M. J. TATE has opened a photograph gallery in Lakeport, where she does all the work herself. Another pleasant occupation women can engage in as well as the more sterner sex.

T. H. GOODMAN, of the Southern Pacific Company, has been chosen Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic.

LOOMING UP.

SONOMA VALLEY after years of uninterrupted quietude has at last attracted the attention of men of capital. These men are shrewd and far-seeking. They see in the future of our grand, rich and prolific valley the Garden of Eden of California. Its accessibility to the chief metropolis of the Pacific, its matchless climate, clear running brooks swarming with that daintest of the finny tribe the speckled trout, magnificent groves of madrone, oak and pine, the picturesque mountains rising on three sides of the valley, and more than all the richness of its soil, which grows anything without the aid of irrigation, is bound to make Sonoma Valley one of the best known and most desirable residence locations in this favored State. Farms, villa sites and town lots that can now be bought for a mere song in and adjacent to this city will double and quadruple in value in the course of a few years. And these values will not be fictitious, either. On the contrary, they will be lasting and gradually increasing, the natural result of Sonoma Valley's superior advantages over all other sections contiguous to San Francisco for the cultivation of small farms and desirable suburban homes. The men of capital that have recently been attracted here for investment can foresee the bright future of our valley. They have not come here out of any particular love for the beautiful. It is a plain business proposition with them. They are buying up farms which they know in a short time they will be enabled to sell at double the prices paid for them, and which they now consider dirt cheap. For years Sonoma Valley, as it were, has been "buried under a bushel" owing to the non-progressing spirit of its people. Those who had wealth lacked enterprise, while those who possessed enterprise were short in cash. The natural sequence of this was that the march of improvement knew her not, and while prosperous communities have been springing up around this city the past thirty years, she has been plodding along in the old '49 grove, her merchants the while regretting "the irony of fate" and seeking relief in looking over old musty ledgers wherein were recorded the prices of goods sold in "the days of old, the days of gold, the days of '49," the profits upon which were enormous, while the more enterprising merchants of adjacent towns were securing the bulk of trade from this section.

But of late years town and valley has been picking up. Many substantial improvements have been made and many more are projected. The Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad, which will give us an Eastern connection, is an assured fact and the snort of its iron horse can already be heard in this town. The same can be said of the Donahue extension which will enable the residents of the valley to reach San Francisco inside of one and a half hours instead of the tedious journey of three hours as at present. The new town of Verano, backed as it is by men of wealth, will also help things along. These several enterprises have brought and will continue to bring a profusion of new blood into this section and that is all this valley has required these past thirty-five years to put new life into the channels of trade and to cause her to pulsate with renewed vigor and energy. Old Sonoma has not been sleeping the sleep of the dead which knows no waking. But, like old Rip Van Winkle, she has just come out of a prolonged slumber.

CAPT. W. L. MERRY, President of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, will contribute an exceedingly valuable article to the April *Overland Monthly*, on "San Francisco Commerce; Past, Present and Future." Transportation, government aid, and the civic duties of merchants are all treated. There is no better authority on these points.

THE El Capitan, a boat that used to do service between Oakland and San Francisco, now carries the Napa passengers between South Vallejo and Vallejo Junction.

PRINCE BISMARCK was born April 1st, and will be seventy-three years old next birthday.

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THE VITICULTURISTS.

Interesting Papers Read by Prominent Wine-Growers.

At the recent meeting of the State Viticultural Convention in San Francisco Leonard Coates of Napa read an essay on "The Best and Cheapest Methods of Obtaining a Grafted Vineyard on Resistant Stocks." He made three divisions: Why we graft, what we graft and how to graft. Grape grafting is performed to render that plant more hardly. The stock influences the graft in retarding or increasing the vigor, and usually brings the vine earlier into bearing. What to graft cannot be correctly enlarged upon. Mr. Coates reduced the question to what stocks best resist phylloxera in California. *Vitis Riparia* will about cover the ground. *Vitis Novo Mexicano* is equally good. Riparia is objectionable only because of its small wood, and where that objection is insuperable the Lenoir may be used. There is but one true method of how to graft, that is the "English clift," or, "whip-tongue graft," applied either to stocks of the size of a lead pencil, or those two or three inches in diameter.

Clarence J. Wetmore of Livermore, Secretary of the State Viticultural Commission, also read a paper on "The Chaintre System of Pruning and Conducting the Vine in California." This system was explained in detail, the writer having tried it on his own vineyard. The system is for long pruned vines only, such as Cabernet or Reisling. It consists in spreading out the vine to one side, and training it by forked resting sticks about a foot above the ground. The Chaintre system, it is claimed, produces a greater yield for the long-pruned varieties, and facilitates ripening, all the clusters getting the warmth of the soil. For cultivation the vines are turned to one side. In picking the system is of advantage as the clusters are readily found, and are unually more fully developed than when other systems are employed.

Orcharding for Profit.

An orchard, for profit, should not contain more than two varieties of fruit. If less than twenty acres in extent, but one kind would be even better. There are several reasons for this. One is that the fruit all ripens at once, and thus gives but one feast for the birds and June bugs. If the time is extended, the birds and bugs get just so much more fruit. If there is but one variety, what they take from an orchard will never be missed. Again, with but one or two kinds, the small grower has enough of each to pay to handle, either by drying, contracting to a canner, or shipping in carload lots to the Eastern market. He makes but one job of picking, and is soon over with his harvest work. With a dozen kinds he is picking fruit all Summer, hasn't enough of any one lot to market it properly, and probably has several varieties of fruit that are not profitable. The apricot, almond, pear, prune and peach all thrive in this valley, each on its proper soil and location; and the farmer who chooses the one fruit of three which is best adapted to his soil, and plants from twenty to a hundred acres, as his means will allow, will never in his later years have any other business with the Sheriff than foreclosing mortgages on those of his neighbors who now "know" that fruit-growing won't pay.—*Livermore Herald.*

Cost of a Twenty-Acre Orchard.

According to the Orland *News*, W. A. Washer, a practical fruit-grower, has made the following estimates for the first three years of planting and cultivating a twenty-acre orchard:

FIRST YEAR FOR TWENTY ACRES.	
Plowing and harrowing	$ 40 00
Planting	40 00
Cultivating	100 00
SECOND YEAR FOR TWENTY ACRES.	
Pruning (too high)	15 00
Cultivating	100 00
THIRD YEAR FOR TWENTY ACRES.	
Pruning	25 00
Cultivating	100 00
Total	$420 00

Mr. Washer remarks, in the course of his article: "Grapes, however, need care and attention, cultivation and pruning, yet one man and a team can do all the necessary work of a forty-acre vineyard, aside from the gathering and curing. A man with a family of a few boys could, on forty acres devoted to raisins, make for himself an income of $8000 or $10,000 a year." The expenses vary with the character of the soil, and the timely or untimely rains, as with other agriculture. No exact estimates can be made.

Remember This.

If you are sick Simmons Liver Regulator will surely aid nature in making you well. If you are costive or dyspeptic or are suffering from any other of the numerous diseases of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels, it is your own fault if you remain ill, for Simmons Liver Regulator is a sovereign remedy in all such complaints

Thos. McLaughlin lives on the Chapman ranch north of town. Last Sunday when driving this way he got stalled near the railroad track—so near that when the train came along it demolished his wagon. Fortunately, himself and team escaped unhurt.—*Napa Register.*

On Thursday as Squire Wood of Dry Creek was in the act of shooting a gun, the barrel burst and severely injured his hand. He was brought into town, where Drs. Stone and Weaver attended to the injury, and at last reports he was doing as well as could be expected. *Healdsburg Enterprise.*

How Men Die.

If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the tendency toward death. Many however have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little aid to the weakened Lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a Cough, Cold or any trouble of the Throat or Lungs' give that old and well-known remedy, Boschee's German Syrup, a careful trial. It will prove what thousands say of it to be, the "benefactor of any home."

OPEN LETTERS.

I was greatly troubled with my liver and kidneys and pains in the back, and found no relief till I began taking Joy's Sarsaparilla. It has helped me wonderfully. I gratefully recommend it to all those afflicted as I have been.

MRS. LOMBARD, Santa Clara, Cal.

For a long time I was troubled with liver complaint. I tried many liver and kidneys cures without effect. My attention was finally called to Joy's vegetable Sarsaparilla, as being not only a splendid blood purifier, but an infallible liver and kidney remedy. I took a course of it and it effected a complete cure.

JAMES LICK, 708 Montgomery st., San Francisco, Cal.

For several years I suffered from dyspepsia and kidney complaint, so severe at times that I could not attend to my work. My appetite became poor, and I was much emaciated. Joy's vegetable Sarsaparilla and Kidney cure completely restored my health.

JOHN MCLELLAN, Redding, Cal.

I suffered for years acutely from dyspepsia, and became greatly reduced and despondent. Satisfied at last my trouble was of a scrofulous nature, I began taking Joy's Sarsaparilla, and believe it saved my life. My appetite and digestion are now good, and I feel like a new man.

JAMES WELLS, Oakdale, Cal.

In 1882 I took a severe cold in my head that resulted in chronic catarrh of the most objectionable kind. I tried doctors and many so-called specifics, but found no relief till I commenced taking Joy's vegetable Sarsaparilla. After two bottles I noticed improvement, and the sixth destroyed all traces of the disease. C. W. LEONARD, Colusa, Cal.

I suffered for years from catarrh till it destroyed my appetite and weakened my system. No remedies gave me relief till I commenced using Joy's Sarsaparilla. I began taking it last Spring, and am now entirely free from that disgusting disease.

LIZZIE A. HALL, Mojave, Cal.

I had a dangerous cough. Nothing relieved it till I commenced taking Joy's vegetable Sarsaparilla. It began to grow milder and more disconnected, and one morning about two weeks afterwards it suddenly occurred to me that I had not coughed for several days, and I am now entirely without it.

DUANE W. FIELD, 601 Post st., San Francisco, Cal.

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Ordinance No. 29.

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING THE bonds of city officers.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma do ordain as follows:

Section 1. The official bond of the City Treasurer shall be one thousand dollars; the official bond of the City Marshal shall be one thousand five hundred dollars; the official bond of the City Clerk shall be one thousand dollars and the official bond of the City Recorder shall be five hundred dollars.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the 16th day of April, A. D., 1888.

In Board of Trustees finally passed, this 7th day of March, A. D., 1888.

Attest:

JAMES MCDONNELL, Jr., City Clerk.

By ROBERT POPPE, Deputy.

Approved, this 7th day of March, A. D., 1888.

CHARLES MCHARVEY, President pro tem.

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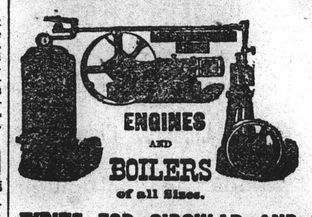

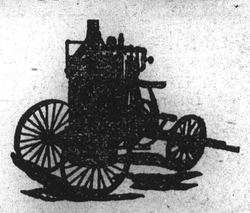

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SONOMA, MARCH 17, 1888.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

☞ Hereafter obituaries, funeral notices, tributes of respect, etc., will be charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Go to Pioda's New Cash Grocery for bargains. *

The Occidental Hotel is fast be coming a popular resort. +

The traveling public are invited to call at the Union Hotel. *

The Occidental Hotel is a first-class resort.

The Union Hotel is first class in every respect. *

R. D. Moore of the Occidental keeps a first-class house. +

For the best of accommodations go to the Union Hotel. *

Go to the Occidental Hotel if you want good accommodations. +

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Subscribe for your local paper and send it to friends in the East.

Eggs for hatching from best stock at Badger's, Agua Caliente. *

If you are wise you will read the advertisements that appear in this paper.

A fine shower of rain fell in the valley at an early hour Tuesday morning.

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Charley Potter of Agua Caliente has been appointed Poundmaster of this township by the Board of Supervisors.

Ed. Wegner, our enterprising merchant, is repairing and otherwise improving his building on First street west.

The Occidental Hotel, under the management of Mr. R. D. Moore and his estimable wife, is growing in popularity every day. +

The roads between this city and Santa Rosa are in a better condition for traveling than ever before known in the month of March.

It is rumored that a new hotel will be erected at Verano by the Verano Land Company which is to cost $150,000. Bing! bang! boom!!!

A Union Congregational Church has been organized at the town of Los Guilucos. The first services were held at the new hotel last Sunday.

Let all who desire to spend a pleasant evening attend the Clay Literary Society next Monday evening March 19th. A good programme will be presented.

The entertainment of the Young Mens' Institute takes place at Union Hall this evening. An excellent programme will be given. Let every one be present.

G. H. Hotz of Smith's Cash Store announces in another column that he will receive the coming week a full and complete stock of latest spring styles in lawns, white goods, laces, etc. So look out for bargains.

Lewis Adler is after the cottony cushion scale with a vengeance. He has had the locust trees in front of his property trimmed down until nothing but the trunks remain. This example should be emulated by every property-owner in town.

If you want thoroughbred Jersey cows or Berkshire pigs, wagons, buggies, etc., read the adv of M. K. Cady, which appears in another column. Here is a chance to secure a bargain as the sale is made on account of departure.

The Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad track is completed within two miles of the Jeremiah Clarke place, where will be located the depot for Sonoma. Construction trains will reach that point by Monday or Tuesday.

Parties desiring eggs for hatching would consult their interest by reading advertisement of T. S. Glaister, which appears in to-day's issue. He has a limited number of White Leghorn and Silver Spangled Hamburg eggs which he offers at the low price of 75 cents per dozen.

The cottony cushion scale has appeared on all the acacia and locust trees in town, and if some action is not taken by the City Trustees to prevent its spread the pest will eventually attack every orchard and garden in the valley. It is useless for the farmer living in the suburbs of the city to fight the pest if Sonoma is to be its breeding ground.

A large force of graders are at work on the Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad. They are divided up into four or five gangs, and are scattered along the route from J. H. Drummond's farm up to within two miles of Santa Rosa. The entire road bed from Napa Junction to North Glen Ellen has been graded and is ready for the ties and rails. The road from that point to Santa Rosa is being rushed through and it is only a question of a few months when the road bed will be graded and ironed its entire distance.

THE CITY TRUSTEES.

They Order an Election---The City Marshal's Bond Raised.

The Board of City Trustees met in regular monthly session on the evening of the 7th inst., the following being present: Trustees Lawrence, McHarvey, Manuel and Wegner, Treasurer Tivnen, Marshal Sparks and Deputy Clerk Poppe.

After the minutes of the last regular and special meetings had been read and approved the Street Committee reported progress in the matter of repairs on Spain street and locating the line of the street running through C. Aguillon's vineyard on a line parallel with Spain street. The committee asked for further time in which to make a final report and the request was granted.

The special committee appointed at the last regular meeting to ascertain to whom the $56.67, the amount of ex-Marshal Vallejos commission for collecting taxes belonged to, submitted a legal opinion from Wm. E. McConnell to the effect that the money was Gen. M. G. Vallejo's, and a warrant was thereupon ordered drawn in his favor for that amount.

Upon motion the sum of $100 was appropriated for improving the Plaza.

Trustee Wegner's amendment to section 1, Ordinance No. 2, which raises the bond of the City Marshal from $1,000 to $1,500 then came up for consideration. It was adopted without opposition and ordered published in the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

The question of calling an election for municipal officers coming up, Trustee Wegner moved that the Board order a general election on the second Monday in April for the selection of two Trustees, one Clerk, Treasurer and Marshal. So ordered.

The Clerk was thereupon ordered to give notice of said election in legal form, and the President instructed to appoint the officers, their compensation to be $3, and no more. The following were appointed: John Tivnen, Inspector; F. Breitenbach and A. J. Van Every, Judges.

The following bills were then allowed and ordered paid: M. G. Vallejo, rock $8.70; G. W. Estes, labor and material, $7.80; G. W. Sparks, salary and services, $21; John Raper, labor, $1; R. Dalpogetto, labor, $13.60; H. W. Matthews, hauling, $46; A. Fouts, labor, $4; W. T. Bordwell, hauling, $19.25; W. Stone, labor, $3; A. C. Baxter, hauling, $4; T. F. Monahan, hauling, $12; M. J. Haraszthy, hauling, $24; A. J. Van Every, labor, $17.25; H. H. Granice, printing, $4.80. Total, $186.40.

Attracting Attention.

A large number of people visited Sonoma valley last Sunday. One party of sixty-five came up in a special car and visited the new town site of Verano, two miles northwest of Sonoma. The party were entertained at Cady's Agua Caliente Springs Hotel, which is now the property of the Verano Land Company, after which they were taken to view the new town site. Many of the visitors were enraptured with the beauties of the valley and the picturesqueness of the new town in particular and a large number of choice lots were sold.

Important Real Estate Transaction.

Philip Pipher of Los Angeles on Tuesday last purchased the Isabella Mutch place of fourteen acres situated in the western part of town and adjoining the St. Francis Church property. The purchaser will lay off the property into town lots and put them on the market. The sale was effected through the real estate agency of Sproul & Twing.

Sport Ahead for Anglers.

Sonoma Creek and its tributaries promises to afford excellent sport for anglers this season. The rains the past month have supplied all the streams in the valley with a larger quantity of water than usual at this season of the year, and in consequence they are swarming with trout. Our local sportsmen anticipate some big catches on the 1st of April, on which day the close season expires.

Sonoma County's Finances.

Chairman O'Hara, District Attorney Pearce and County Auditor Moore counted the money in the County Treasury Friday with the following result:

Gold coin on hand....	$ 14,245 00
Silver coin on hand...	10,805 00
Gold certificates deposit	193,000 00
Total on hand.....	$218,050 00

Consumption Surely Cured.

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and postoffice address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 181 Pearl st., New York.

Personal and Social.

Mrs. C. H. Ward is visiting relatives in Tiburon.

Geo. C. Young of Petaluma was in town last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chase, (nee Marie Seipp,) visited Sonoma last Sunday.

Mrs. O. Muser is up from the city on a two weeks visit to her sister Mrs. F. Ehrlich.

Miss Arvilla Cheney, who has been dangerously ill the past nine weeks, is convalescent.

Local Politics in Santa Rosa.

Party lines will be closely drawn in the forthcoming municipal election in Santa Rosa. On Tuesday evening last a number of representative Democrats met at the City Hall in that city and nominated the following municipal ticket: Mayor, T. J. Brooke; Councilmen, William J. Daggett, C. H. Evens and J. O. Burckhalter; Marshal, J. J. Lowry; City Attorney, Demus R. Gaell; Clerk, Charles E. Runyou; Street Commissioner, J. W. Sank; Treasurer, William E. Orear; Assessor, James Gilmore; Recorder, W. T. Sewall; Library, M. L. McDonald, J. S. Austin, R. Press Smith, W. P. Thompson and H. C. Delray.

COUNTY CULLINGS.

Anteo, the celebrated trotting stallion of Santa Rosa, has been sold for $20,000 and will be taken to Kentucky.

The Grand Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic is in session at Santa Rosa, and the town is full of people.

Elbert R. Charles, of Vallejo township sold this week to John Judson, of San Diego, his two-year Pointsman colt for six hundred dollars. Petaluma is the best horse market in the State, and hardly a day passes that we do not hear of one or more sales of horses, and generally to purchasers living outside of the county. It has been estimated that the sales of horses here during the year 1887, amounted to over $60,000 in hard cash. Our farmers find that it pays to raise good horses.—Petaluma Courier.

Officer J. R. Robinson has to deal with some pretty tough characters in East Petaluma. A few nights since a couple of young rowdies who wanted to be "bad" got full of tangle-foot and began prancing around, making considerable noise. The officer told them to be quiet, but they defied arrest, and after a vigorous scuffle, in which the club played an active part, one youngster wilted and was locked up. The other escaped, but afterwards gave himself up. Both received their just deserts at the proper tribunal.—Petaluma Courier.

A man named P. J. Noonan was found in a field near Geyserville last Wednesday in a demented condition. He was entirely nude and was engaged in digging a hole in the ground for the purpose, he said, of releasing two of his friends, whom he imagined were under the ground. He was taken into custody and charged with insanity. An examination by a physician, however, disclosed the fact that he was only suffering from temporary aberration of mind and he was taken to the County Hospital for treatment.

Cloverdale boasts of her climate, her healthy and pretty girls, but never before was it heard that these healthy and pretty girls were enormous consumers of eggs. Recently the question arose as to who could eat the most at one meal. The contest was noised among the fair sex and the date and place was set for the meeting. Eggs *a la* fried was the sole bill of fare. When time was called one of Cloverdale's most popular young ladies had eaten eleven, and her indignity was greatly aroused at time being called so soon, for her appetite was keen for at least eleven more.—*Cloverdale Reveille.*

Game and Fish Laws.

The acts relative to game and fish, as amended by the last Legislature, prescribed the following as the seasons within which the game and fish specified may be lawfully taken:

Quail, August 1st to March 1st.

Patridge, grouse, rail, Sept. 10th to March 1st.

Doves, June 1st to January 1st,

Male antelope, elk, mountain sheep, female deer or doe, killing at any time unlawful.

Spotted fawn, killing prohibited.

Taking quail, patridge, grouse or rail by net or pound, prohibited.

Trout, April 1st to November 1st.

Salmon, October 1st to August 1st.

Fishing for shad, salmon, etc., between six o'clock Saturday evening and sundown of succeeding Sunday prohibited.

Fishing by explosives, or by cage, pound, weir, trap or set net, prohibited.

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The Real Estate Men.

Many people undervalue the work done by the real estate men for a community. Occasionally we hear the remark that they are an evil rather than an benefit. By others, we have heard them called land sharks, tricksters, etc. We take issue with the men who think and talk thus.

In our dealings with real estate men we have found them just as reliable as any other class engaged in business. They are, as a rule, as prompt to meet their obligations as are others.

But, at this time we desire to speak specially of what a live firm in this business can and does do in helping to build up a community. Of what value are real estate men in this direction?

Who are answering letters of inquiry every day in regard to this city and county? Who are continually spending their money for printing of letters in eastern papers advertising this county? Who are sending circulars of information in regard to this county by every mail? Who meet the strangers who come here, and take them on a drive about the city and show them our advantages? There is but one answer. This work is, and must be done largely by the men engaged in the real estate business.

Then, it is a mistake for persons in other occupations to belittle the work of the men engaged in selling real estate. There is a place for this class in every prosperous community. There is a legitimate and a valuable work to be done by them, a work that will not be done by anybody else. Instead of condemning, we should encourage them, and thus induce the putting forth of greater efforts. The work that a real live, energetic, reliable real estate firm can and does do for a community can scarcely be comprehended.—*Santa Rosa Republican.*

Glen Ellen Gossip.

The Dunbar school, with Mrs. Bledsoe as teacher, re-opened last Monday.

Geo. S. Zane left last Friday for Delano, Kern county, and will be gone for six months or more.

Mike Smith, the efficient foreman of James McEwen, was taken suddenly ill last week, but is now much improved.

J. B. Small, the Hon. Justice of Peace of Sonoma, was in town last Friday and visited his old haunts and stamping grounds.

The glass-ball and pigeon shooting advertised for a week ago, took place last Sunday. Considerable shooting was done and we are happy to state that the balls escaped serious injury.

C. H. Garoutte of Woodland, Cal., and President of the order of Native Sons in this State, spent last Saturday and Sunday in Glen Ellen. The Parlor at this place gave a banquet in honor of their distinguished visitor, which was greatly enjoyed.

The Los Guilucos correspondent "Joe Bowers" has gone to San Francisco to wrestle with Blackstone. The last seen of him he was buying a ticket and whistling:

"My name 'tis Joe Bowers,
I'm all the way from Pike."

OLD TIMER.

We can not be too careful, when exposed to malarious or miasmatic poison, to guard the system at every point against the approach of so dangerous a foe. A dose of Frese's Hamburg Tea, taken at intervals of two or three weeks, or oftener, will ward off this insidious foe, and keep the system in the best possible condition to resist its future approaches.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus write W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Get a free trial bottle at E. Wegner's Drug Store.

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HIGH SCHOOL.

Lathrop Dunn,	Bessie Armstrong,
Susie Cheney,	Florence Campbell
Clara Cheney.	Grace Shaw,
Zoe Clark,	Myrta More,
Millie Skinner,	

GRAMMAR ROOM.

Lee Smythe,	Charlie Cutter,
Rue Tate,	Chester Smith,
Matilda Dorman,	James Tate,
Gustave Pauli,	Louis Heydt,
Alex Martin,	Oscar Smythe,
Herbert Shaw,	Harry Martin,

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

Harry Shaw,	Claire Hope,
Frank Yebina,	Charley Cheney,
Harvey Perkins,	Henry Kursel,
Harry Dunn	Earnest Campbell,
Willie Dunn,	Joseph Toroni,
Bertha Campbell,	May McDonnell,
Assunta Dalpaggetto,	

FIRST PRIMARY.

Alfred Pauli,	Gussie Weyl,
Adolph Lindemann,	Gilbert Wagnon,
Adolphe Heydt,	Guy Weems,
Bertie Lawrence,	Louisa Dormann,
Clarence Cheney,	Louis Litzius,
Charlie Stone,	Lily Bullotti,
Emma Lindemann,	Ora Lawrence,
Freddie Bullotti,	Rosa Wagnon,
Frank Weyl,	

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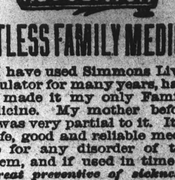

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READING CHARACTER.

The Wonderful Gift of a Bright, Sweet Vivacious Young Woman.

"O, uncle," said the dear, vivacious girl, "I've got something I want to tell you so much!"

"All right, Isabel, all right; go ahead and tell it," and he beamed on his niece a fond, fatherly gaze.

"It's about your character; I know it just as well as if I had known you a long time, and here this is the first day I ever saw you!"

"O, I suppose your father—"

"No, no one ever told me a word. I read it in your handwriting. You know I have learned to read character in writing, and so I read yours and know it perfectly."

"Indeed?"

"O, yes. Isn't it nice? Yes, you see I got a couple of your business letters to papa down at the office, and your character was just as clear to me as could be. Your down strokes indicate great force and decision, and your capitals are large, which show lofty imagination. Then all the way through your writing I could detect great benevolence and love of doing good?"

"Er—um, "said the old man as he rubbed his head. "Well?"

"Then your 'E's' and 'B's' and 'P's' show great fancy and love of the beautiful; and the decided full-stop indicates that you have no fickleness about you; and the line of writing inclines up slightly, which means loftiness of aim and a high purpose in life."

"Hah! Any thing more?"

"O, yes; your 'M's' and 'W's' readily tell that you have a fine poetical and artistic feeling, and your 'D's' and 'S's' are exactly like those of the most celebrated musicians; then I should judge that you were largely endowed with reverence and the love of truth; and also had excellent judgment and a well-balanced mind."

"Mebby! That all?"

"No, I read lots more. You have a strong love of home and family, which shows in your small letters; and the way you round all your characters indicates much ability for organization as well as great business aptitude; the way you dot your 'I's' shows liberality and desire to give every man his due: a certain unevenness to some letters indicates humor and originality combined with hearty good fellowship: and you cross your 't's' so near like all great orators and statesmen that I really wonder you have never entered public life and got into Congress.

"Hey? Hey? Go on!"

"Well, I don't think of much more just now, except that your signature seemed to me to vary rather more than the body of your writing than most people's; but that, I suppose, is because you have to write it so often. I thought I detected a little stubbornness in it, as well as a shade of bigotry, and some indications of a high and quick temper, and perhaps a little that would indicate a lack of appreciation of other people's accomplishments, with a faint touch of combativeness and inability to grasp new ideas. But, then, that's nothing. O, I do want to show you the lovely Christmas present papa gave mamma," and she tripped away with an engaging smile.

"Isn't it truly wonderful," said Isabel's young man, who sat across the room on the edge of the sofa, "how Miss Isabel can read character from handwriting? Really surprising!"

"Y-a-e-s—y-a-e-s," said the old man; "y-a-e-s, very wonderful, remarkably surprising! The dodgastedest wonderfullest thing I ever saw!" And the old man got up and glared over his spectacles after his hat. "Y-a-e-s, dummed surprising, I must say! I hire a slimpsy-legged, shallow-minded young man that looks some like you, and pay him eight dollars a week to write all my business letters, and all I ever do is to sign my name to 'em! O, yes, awful wonderful!" And he went out the front door and nearly sprained his foot in boarding a street-car, and ripped and swore under his breath till he scared off two lady passengers.—*F. H. Carruth, in Chicago Tribune.*

Washington Society Note.

The following schedule of rates, evidently the property of some correspondent-lady who writes letters from Washington about society ladies, has been handed in to this office by the finder, and the owner can have it on application:

Saying a lady is a favorite in society		$1 25
" " is beautiful and accomplished		50
" " looks like Mrs. Cleveland		2 25
" " is a charming hostess		2
" " is immensely wealthy		10 00
" " is of old family		75
" " wears Worth dresses		3 75
" " received with Mrs. Whitney		1 25
" " has an exquisite complexion		35
" " has a wealth of golden hair		40
" " has limpid eyes		90
" " has aristocratic hand and foot		65
" " has a sweet disposition		5
" " has a *distingue* air		60
" " has a queenly grace		1 00
" " entertains royally		63
" " is in the White House set		5 35

At this point the schedule was torn in half, and we regret that we are unable to fill out the bill for the further edification and guidance of our readers.—*Washington Critic.*

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6 35 "	Buena Vista	6 30 "
6 45 "	Sonoma	6 25 "
6 50 "	Pioneer Grove	6 15 "
6 53 "	Agua Caliente	6 12 "
6 55 "	Watries'	6 10 "
6 58 "	Madrone	6 07 "
7 01 "	Hill's	6 04 "
7 05 "	Glen Ellen	6 00 "

Through Sunday Excursion.

8 15 A M	San Francisco	6 00 P M
10 05 "	Sonoma Landing	4 10 "
10 17 "	Sears' Point	3 59 "
10 28 "	McGill's	3 50 "
10 39 "	Schellville	3 40 "
10 45 "	Vineyard	3 35 "
10 50 "	Buena Vista	3 30 "
11 00 "	Sonoma	3 25 "
11 05 "	Pioneer Grove	3 16 "
11 08 "	Caliente	3 13 "
11 10 "	Watries'	3 11 "
11 13 "	Madrone	3 08 "
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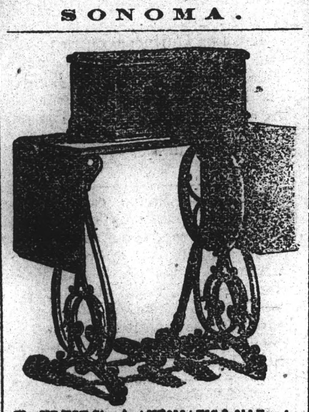

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